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In re application of

Jeremy MARSHALL et al.

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Group 3734

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IMPROVEMENTS RELATING TO LANCETS

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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December 18, 2007

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of September 18, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.